



Parent Connection

A Parent to Parent Network of Alabama CHILDREN'S REHABILITATION SERVICE

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*Connecting families of children with special health care needs across Alabama
to provide support, information, and training*



Please match me with an experienced parent:

Yes_____ No_____

Willing to provide support to others?

Yes_____ No_____

PLEASE ONLY SHARE INFORMATION THAT YOU FEEL IS RELEVANT IN BEING MATCHED WITH OTHER PARENTS

FAMILY INFORMATION: First Name_____ Last Name_____

Mailing Address_____

Street Address_____

City_____ State_____ ZIP_____ County_____

Home Phone_____ Work Phone_____ Email_____ FAX_____

Race_____ African American_____ Caucasian_____ Hispanic_____ Native American_____ Asian_____ Other **DOB**_____

Last Grade Completed_____ Degrees or Certification_____ Occupation_____

Marital Status _____ Married _____ Single _____ Widowed _____ Divorced _____ Separated _____ Remarried

Relation to Child _____ Mother _____ Father _____ Birth _____ Foster _____ Adopted _____ Sibling _____ Grandparent _____ Other

Personal Experience/Interest (Check all that apply) _____ Advocacy _____ Inclusion _____ Independent Living
_____ Promoting Legislation _____ Public Policymaking _____ Speaking _____ Starting or Maintaining Parent Support
Group _____ Supported Employ. _____ Training _____ Transition to Work

Organizations(Check all that apply) _____ Arc _____ CRS Local PAC _____ DCC _____ Disability Specific Organization
_____ Friends For Life _____ Partners in Policymaking _____ PTA _____ Parent Support Group _____ TAP
Other_____

CHILD(REN) WITH SPECIAL NEEDS: First Name(s)_____ Last Name_____

DOB_____ Male_____ Female_____ **Disability was diagnosed** _____ Before Birth _____ At Birth _____ At the age of _____

Primary Disability or Condition: _____ ADD/ADHA _____ Autism _____ Cerebral Palsy _____ Cleft Lip/Palate
_____ Down Syndrome _____ FragileX _____ Genetic Disorder _____ Hearing Impaired/Deaf
_____ Multiple Disabilities _____ Neurologic Disorder _____ Seizure Disorder _____ Spina Bifida
_____ Visual Impairment/Blind _____ Other_____

Please circle all items that best describe your child:

Assistive Technology

Augmentative Communication
Computer

Behavior

Aggressive
Overactive
Typical for Age
Underactive

Diet

Feeding Skills

Fed by Others
Feeding Problems
Feeding Tube
Gastrostomy Tube
No Help Needed
Regular Diet
Some Help Needed

Toilet Skills

Catheterization
Help Needed with Toileting
Typical Toileting for Age
Not Toilet Trained

Speech

Clear and Understandable
Delayed Speech
Difficult to Understand
No Communication
Non-verbal Communication
Sign Language

Hearing

Cochlear Implant
Hearing Aid
No Hearing/Deaf
Partial Hearing Loss
Typical Hearing

Medications(list)

Mobility

Crawls/Scoots
Delayed Mobility
Wheelchair-Needs Assistance
Wheelchair-Self Operated
Typical Mobility for Age
Walks with Supportive Device
Walks Independently

Special Procedure

Colostomy
ECMO
Gastrostomy
Shunt
Tracheotomy

Vision

Contact Lenses
Corrective Lenses
No Vision /Blind
Typical Vision
Partial Sight Loss

Type of School Program

Early Intervention
Home Schooling
Not Attending School
Public School
Private School
Resource Room
Regular Classes
Self-Contained Class
Special Education –Preschool
Specialized Child Care

Special Medical Equipment

Apnea Monitor
Heart Monitor
I.V.
Oxygen
Suction
Ventilator
Other _____

Treatments

Auditory Training
Chemotherapy
Lovass Therapy
Occupational Therapy
Patterning
Physical Therapy
Radiation Therapy
Speech Therapy
Vision Therapy
Other _____

List any surgeries related to your child's disability: _____

Where do you go for medical care? _____

Do you have insurance? ____Yes____No____ **What Type?** _____

SSI? ____Yes____No **Medicaid?** ____Yes____No **CRS?** ____Yes____No **VR?** ____Yes____No

Does this child live at home? ____Yes____No____ If not, where? _____

Other Children? ____Yes____No Names and ages: _____

Extra notes: _____

I give my permission for my name and telephone number to be released to another parent.

Signature

Date